

June 5, 2002

Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 Twelfth Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: WT Docket No. 02-55 *Ex Parte Presentation* 

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On June 4, 2002, Steve Sharkey, Motorola, Inc. and Michael Lewis, on behalf of Motorola, met via conference call with Kathleen O'Brien Ham, James Schlichting, D'wana Terry, and Michael Wilhelm, of the FCC's Wireless Telecommunications Bureau regarding the above-captioned rulemaking on public safety communications in the 800 MHz band.

During our call, we discussed the need for an accurate understanding of the amount of spectrum licensed to the various user groups that could potentially be impacted by any reorganization of the 800 MHz band. Motorola expressed the view that in order to fully understand the impact on existing users it is necessary to understand the existing spectrum environment. As a result of intercategory sharing, it is not possible to develop full understanding absent a review of licenses to determine the actual allotment of spectrum to public safety, business and industrial, SMRs and CMRS carriers as it has developed over time. Moreover, the spectrum used for each of these groups will vary from city-to-city and region-to-region.

Motorola presented the opinion that a review of how spectrum is currently licensed among the various user groups would facilitate development of an equitable plan for addressing the interference to public safety. Thus, Motorola urged the Bureau to undertake a review of how spectrum is currently licensed in the 800 MHz band, or to sponsor such a review as part of the Commission's efforts to address interference to public safety.

In accordance with Section 1.49(f)(1) of the Commission's Rules, one electronic copy of this letter is being submitted via the Commission's Electronic Comment Filing System for inclusion in the record in the above-captioned proceedings.

Sincerely,

/s/
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